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1 [A; (T.)] Religio Clerici. FIRST EDITION, second issue. *12mo, contemporary calf, spine gilt, engraved frontispiece. Printed for Henry Brome, 1681* £25

Wing A.32. Wing does not distinguish between the two issues. This issue has the initials of the unknown author omitted from the title, a new preface, E11-12 (pp. 93-6) cancelled and removed, and additional matter paged 93-231, and corresponds with the copy described in Bib. Osleriana No. 4577. Keynes 397. The text is in English.

2 [A; (T.)] Religio Clerici. Another copy. *Original calf. 1681* £25

Wing A.32. This copy differs from the one described above. This has F1-2 cancelled and removed, and pp. 93-96 present. P. 96 has "The End" printed at the foot of the page, but pp. 97-231 follow. In both copies are five pp. of advertisements at end of books printed for Henry Brome.

3 ABU BAKR IBN A TUFAIL. Philosophus Autodidactus sive Epistola Abi Jaafar, Ebn Tophail de Hai Ebn Yokdhan. In qua ostenditur quomodo ex Inferiorum contemplatione ad Superiorum notitiam Ratio humana ascendere possit. Ex Arabica in Linguam Latinam versa ab Edvardo Pocockio. FIRST EDITION. *4to, contemporary vellum. Excudebat H. Hall, Oxford, 1671* £40

Wing A.152. One copy only in U.S.A. Madan 2877. The Arabic work of a 12th century Arabic philosopher on how Human Reason can ascend from lower to Higher Knowledge. Arabic with Latin translation facing.

4 ABUDACNUS (Joseph) Historia Jacobitarum, seu Coptorum, in Aegypto, Lybia, Nubia, Aethiopia tota, & parte Cypri Insulae Habitantium. FIRST EDITION. *4to, modern half calf. Oxford, 1675* £20

Wing A.154. Madan 3041. He quotes a letter from Humphrey Prideaux to John Ellis, "We have two or three

pidleing things printeing here; on is an account of the Jacobites, another of the kingdom of Golcondah". But Madan adds that the book was genuine and at the time useful.

5 ADDISON (Joseph). The Free-Holder, or Political Essays. FIRST EDITION. *Roy. 8vo, contemporary panelled calf gilt. Printed for D. Midwinter and J. Tonson, 1716* £35

Crane & Kaye 248.
A complete set, nos. 1-55 on Large Paper. Addison's paper was written entirely by himself without collaborators; and unlike any previous periodical with which he had been associated, it was wholly political in its purpose. It was written in the name of those who enjoyed the parliamentary franchise, the freeholders of forty shillings worth. Macaulay thought them "As good as almost anything that Addison ever wrote", and No. 22 "delicious". "Smithers, Joseph Addison".

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Wing not recorded.

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This was the first publication from the important Maitland manuscript collection.

12 ANDERSON (Christian) The Annals of the English Bible. FIRST EDITION. *2 vols., 8vo, original polished calf gilt, with A.L.S. from the author inserted. William Pickering, 1845* £15

13 ANDREWES (Lancelot, *Dean of Westminster, and successively Bishop of Chichester, Ely and Winchester*) The Copie of the Sermon preached on Good-Friday before the Kings Maiestie. By D. Andrewes Deane of Westminster. VI. April 1604, *woodcut initial, ornaments and device* [*S.T.C. 598*]. *R. Barker, n.d.* [*?after 1610*];

Concio Latinè habita coram Regia Maiestate quinto Augusti 1606 in Aula Grenuici; quo tempore venerat in Angliam, Regem nostrum inuisurus . . . Christianus Quartus, Daniæ et Noruegiæ Rex. Ab Episcopo Cicestriensi, *woodcut initials and ornaments* [*S.T.C. 596 records on edition dated 1610 only*]. *R. Barker, n.d.*; A Sermon preached before His Maiestie, at Whitehall the fift of November last, 1617. By the Bishop of Elie, *woodcut initial and ornaments, with A1 (blank except for signature and ornament)*, [*S.T.C. 624*], *J. Bill, 1618*; A Sermon preached before His Maiestie at Whitehall, on Easter Day last, 1618. By the Bishop of Elie, *woodcut initial, ornaments and device, with A1 (blank except for signature and ornament)*, [*S.T.C. 623*], *J. Bill, 1618*; A Sermon preached at White-hall, on Easter Day the 16. of April, 1620. By the Bishop of Winchester, *woodcut initial, ornaments and device, with A1 (blank except for signature and ornament)*, [*S.T.C. 611*], *R. Barker and J. Bill, 1620*; *in one vol., sm. 4to, contemporary limp vellum, remains of 2 ties, the other 2 missing* £175

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An attractive English manuscript of the famous Life of Christ, which was popular over the whole of Europe in the Middle Ages and translated into the vernacular of most continental countries. In England it was one of the most popular works among the early printers, and Nicholas Love's translation was printed by Caxton (twice), Pynson, Wynkyn de Worde, and often reprinted. It was issued by the Roxburghe Society in 1908.

Only two manuscripts of the Bonaventura life of Christ are located by De Ricci in America; a XVth century manuscript on paper of French execution at the Holy Name College, Washington, D.C., and a German MS. on paper (c. 1471) in the Imitatio Christi *collection at Harvard.*

On the last leaf in the hand of the body of the MS. is the signature "Braybrook", which it seems reasonable to identify with Robert de Braybrooke, the judge and Bishop of London from 1381-1404. On the first leaf is the signature and motto ("Fato quam voto") of the Elizabethan, Sir Edward Hoby, favourite of James I, scholar, diplomat and translator.

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"*Who has heard of the Franciscan Joanne a Caulibus of San Gimignano, presumably called Giovanni Cavolini, who lived in the last quarter of the XIVth century? He is very probably the true author of the* Meditationes Vitae Christi *printed as by S. Bonaventura over 50 times in the 15th century and quite as often again after 1500. The* Gesamtkatalog der Wiegendrucke, *which does not know his name, or maybe is right to ignore it, gives under Pseudo-Bonaventura a sequence of Latin editions beginning with that printed at Augsburg, 1468 . . . And what student of early English literature would recognise Giovanni Cavolini as one of the most widely read authors in the England of Henry VII and Henry VIII? Yet Nicolas Love's version of the* Myrrour of the blessed lyf of Jesus Cryste *was printed by Caxton, Wynkyn de Worde and Pynson, no less than nine times between 1486 and 1530*".— *E. Ph. Goldschmidt:* Medieval Texts and their First Appearance in Print (1943), *pp. 47-8.*

45 [BONNEFONS (N. de)] Le Jardinier Francois. Qui enseigne à Cultiver les Arbres, & Herbes Potageres. Avec la Maniere de conserver les Fruits, & faire toutes sortes de Confitures, Conserves & Massepains. Dedié aux Dames. *12mo, original calf. Lyon, 1698* £12 10s

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Wing B.3851. Two copies only in U.S.A.

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The Brethren of the Common Life, founded by Gerard de Groot, and numbering among their brotherhood and scribes Thomas a Kempis, belonged to no order and eschewed the seeking of alms, living by teaching and by producing manuscripts for sale. The Dutch area of the Low Countries was in the diocese of Cologne and it is probable that most of their manuscripts were made for sale in that diocese.

The manuscript contains the two main parts of the Breviary, the Temporale and the Sanctorale, i.e. the offices of the day throughout the year and the daily offices of the saints. On folio 105 is "Explicit de temporale . . . Incipit pars hyemalis de sanctores SECUNDUM ORDINEM MAIORIS ECCLESIE COLONENSIS".

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in Germany and the Low Countries.

The examples with which we have compared our manuscript are those on the plate in Het Boek (*Vol. XXIII, plate described on p. 52*) *and the plate on p. 24 of* Nomenclature des Écritures Livresques.

Six leaves are missing from the Temporale between folios 17 and 18 but the middle four of these have been bound at the end of the MS. The final two leaves of the Sanctorale are also missing.

A handsome manuscript per se *of special significance for its probable origin in a scriptorium of the Brethren of the Common Life.*

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51 BROOKE (Robert Greville, Second Lord) The Nature of Truth Its Union and Unity with the Soule, Which is One in its Essence, Faculties, Acts; One with Truth. Discussed by the Right Honorable Robert Lord Brook, in a Letter to a private Friend. By whom it is now published for the Publick Good. FIRST EDITION. *Sm. 8vo, polished calf, gilt, slight worming, last leaf of contents in facsimile* [*four lines*]. *Printed by R. Bishop for Samuel Cartwright, 1641* £65

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Wing Z.25.

376 ZOUCH (Richard) Solutio Quaestionis Veteris et Novae. Sive, De Legati delinquentis Judice competente dissertatio. In qua, Hug: Grotii, de ea re Sententia Explicatur, expenditur, & asseritur. First Edition. *12mo, modern half calf. Excudebat Hen: Hall Impensis Tho: Robinson, Oxford, 1657* £20

Wing Z.26. Madan 2362. Madan states an Index Capitum was planned to precede the treatise, as a catchword shows. This index is present in the above copy.

SCIENCE AND MEDICINE

377 ALPINUS (Prosper) De Plantis Exoticis Libri Duo. First Edition. *4to, original vellum, with 145 full-page engravings of Plants, Venice, 1627* £65

Hunt Botanical Catalogue 211.

These descriptions and illustrations of exotic plants were made by Prospero Alpini when he was Director of the Botanic Gardens at Padova (1603-1616), and published posthumously by his son. The plants described were grown from seeds sent to Alpini from many distant places. One of the most interesting plates is an early representation of the "Hyoscianus Virginianus" which H. H. Bartlett identifies as an American Oenothera of the subgenus Onagra.

378 BEVEROVICIUS (Joh.) De Calcvlo Renum & Vesicae. *12mo, old vellum. Ex Officina Elzeviriorum, Leyden, 1638; bound with,* PISO (Charles) Envcleatvs sive Observationes Medicae Pisonis. *Elzevir, Leyden, 1639* £12 10s

Willems 463, 485.

379 BOCCONE (P.) Mvseo di Fisica e di Esperienze variato, e decorato Di Osservazioni Natvrali, Note Medicinali . . . Con vna Dissertazione dell' Origine e della Prima Impressione delle Produzzioni Marine, come Fucus, Coralline, Zoophite, Spongie, ed anche, intorno l'Origine de Funghi, con Figure in Rame. FIRST EDITION. *4to, old half vellum, 14 plates. Per Io. Baptistam Zuccato, Venice, 1697* £60

Nissen 180 with 12 plates, but querying whether should be 18. Pritzel 861. Not in the Hunt Botanical Catalogue. His work " illustrates the widespread interest in nature and science which marked the later 17th century." Thorndike Vol. VIII pp. 37-41.

No. 1144 in the famous Libri Library Part 1 sold at Sotheby's 25 April, 1861 and 11 following days with the note:

" Containing much curious information, as well as unpublished tracts by Trionfetti, Hodierna, &c. (with the Catalogue of the Author's manuscript works). Several of the letters are addressed to Englishmen (Sir John Hoskins Bart, Sir Thomas Willoughby, Bart., Dr. B. O'Connor, Lord Carbery, Governor of Jamaica, Bishop Compton, Marquis of Dorchester, Viscount Townsend, Dr. Plot, &c. &c.)"

Apparently some Americana interest but not in Sabin.

5 references to B. in Hooke's Diary, *21 May 1673 H. saw his Petrifications at Arundel house.*

28 May 1674. " I received a book of plants from Signor Boccone.

Aug. 10, 1678. Grace bound Boccone and Oughtred.

Dec. 16. Recherche de Boccone 2s. at Pits Auxion.

Dec. 24. Received bill for the 28 books he had bought including the Boccone.

B. is mentioned by John Ray on the title-page of his Stirpium Europaearum 1694.

380 BARICELLI (Guilio Cesare) Hortulus Genialis, sive rerum incundarum compendium, in quo naturae arcana multae rerum sympathiae et antipathiae, et Auctoris

observationes res erantur. *12mo, old vellum. Geneva, Ph. Albert, 1620* £28

FIRST EDITION *of a once popular book. The author, a Neapolitan, is best known for his treatise on the medicinal quality of dairy products. This work contains a large number of medical observations and secrets.*

381 CLARE (M.) The Motion of Fluids, Natural and Artificial; in particular that of the Air and Water, in a familiar Manner, proposed and proved, by evident and conclusive Experiments with many useful Remarks. Done with such Plainness and Perspicuity that they may be understood by the Unlearned. For whose Sake there is added, a Short Explanation of such Uncommon Terms, which could not, without Affectation, be avoided. With Plain Draughts of such Experiments and Machines, which by Description only, night not readily be comprehended. FIRST EDITION. *8vo, modern red morocco gilt, g.e., plates. Printed for Edward Symon, 1735* £40

382 COLE (William) A Physico-Medical Essay Concerning the late frequency of Apoplexies. Together with a general Method of their Prevention and Cure. In a Letter to a Physitian. FIRST EDITION. *8vo, original calf. Printed at the Theatre, Oxford, 1689* £85

Wing C.5043.

The only work written by Cole in English. He enjoyed a great reputation as a medical writer, his works being several times reprinted on the Continent. Sydenham speaks of him with respect, as does Haller.

383 COLLINS (John) Geometricall Dyalling: or, Dyalling Performed by a Line of Chords onely, Or by the Plain Scale. Wherein is contained two several Methods of Inscribing the Hour Lines in all Plains, with the Substile, Sitle and Meridian, in their proper Coasts and Quantities; Being a full Explication and Demostration of divers difficulties in the Works of Learned Mr. Samuel Foster . . . FIRST EDITION. *4to, 19 plates, original*

calf, rebacked, engraved and printed titles. Printed by Thomas Johnson for Francis Cossinet, 1659 £45

Wing C.5373. One copy only in U.S.A.

Some leaves re-margined, some plates laid down. The work was based on Samuel Foster's papers on dialling, of which he was an acknowledged master. Henry Suttin engraved the plates and sold the instruments described, and it was among the books recommended by Timothy Gadbury to seamen. Taylor, Mathematical Practitioners 246.

384 CRATO VON KRAFFTHEIM (Joh.) Consiliorum et Epistolarum Medicinalium Liber Sextus. *Sm. 4to, old calf. Hanoviae, 1611* £30

FIRST EDITION *of the sixth of seven volumes of* consilia, *all of which were published posthumously, edited by his pupil Scholzius.*

Crato turned from theology to medicine on the advice of Martin Luther and became personal physician to the celebrated Emperor Rudolph II.

This collection of case histories of celebrated patients is especially interesting for those of mental disturbance (pp. 659 to 730),

385 CULPEPER (Nicholas) Pharmacopoeia Londinensis; or, the London Dispensatory Further Adorned by the Studies and Collections of the Fellows now living, of the said College. In this Impression you may find, 1. Three hundred useful Additions. 2. All the Notes that were in the Margent are brought into the Book between two such Crochets as these [ ]. 3. The Virtues, Qualities, and Properties of every Simple . . . 8. In this Impression, the Latin name of every one of the Compounds is Printed, and in what Page of the new Folio Latin Book they are to be found. *8vo, modern calf, some foxing. Printed for Hanna Sawbridge, 1683* £40

386 DE MATERIA MEDICA, *Manuscript in Latin, including short description of plants and their medical uses, drugs, etc., 170 leaves;* MEDICAL MANUSCRIPT in

Latin giving descriptions of diseases, *300 leaves;* A SIMILAR MANUSCRIPT in Latin with Medical prescriptions, *250 leaves. Late 17th century.* £105

From the Duke of Sutherland library.

The three 8vo MS. volumes contain De Materia Medica taken down from the lecture notes of Paulus Herman (1640-1695). His materia medica lectures at Leyden were world famous, but nothing of them was printed till after his death. They were first printed at Strassburg in 1710 as Cynosura Materiae Medicae, *edited by J. S. Henninger. Another version was published in 1726 edited by J. Baecler.*

An earlier rechauffé from lecture notes by Welschius published as Lapis materiae medicae *in 1704. gives, says the* Biographie medicale (1840) *a poor idea of the quality of Herman's lectures.*

Edward Strother produced a translation of the 1710 edition at London in 1727.

It is possible that some member of the Leveson Gower family was a student at Leyden during the period 1680 to 1695 that Herman was professor of botany there.

Herman took his degree at Padua in 1670 which tends to support the later date of 1646 given by some authorities for his birth. He travelled to perfect his studies in materia medica and practised medicine in Ceylon, whence he was recalled to Leyden and never left that university.

387 DURANTE DA GUALDO (Castore) Herbario Novo con Figure, che rappresentano le viue Piante, che nascono in tutta Europa, & nell 'Indie Orientali, & Occidentali . . . *Folio, old marbled calf, large device on title, numerous woodcuts of plants. A most uncommon herbal. Shows signs of use, but a good copy. Sessa, Venice, 1602* £60

This was a popular Italian Herbal that was reprinted and translated in several other languages, for a number of years. It first appeared in 1585. The plant descriptions are written in the form of Poems which Arber describes as 'pleasingly unscientific'.

388 FIAMMELLI (Gio. Francesco) La Riga Matematica dove si tratta del misvrare con la vista di lontano senza strumenti, cioè con vna sola riga, e leuar piante di Città, di eserciti, d'armate di mare, e profondità di fiumi. FIRST EDITION. *4to, illus. old mottled calf gilt. Appresso Carlo Vullietti, Rome, 1605* £50

A ruler which can be used as an instrument for surveying for civil, military and naval purposes. Dedicated to Cosimo de Medici.

389 GEOFFROY (S. F.) A Treatise of the Fossil, Vegetable, and Animal Substances, That are made Use of in Physick. Containing the History and Description of them; with an Account of their several Virtues and Preparations. To which is Prefixed, an Enquiry into the constituent Principles of Mixed Bodies, and the proper Methods of Discovering the Nature of Medicines. By the late Steph. Fr. Geoffroy, M.D., Chemical Professor in the Royal Garden . . . translated from a Manuscript Copy of the Author's Lectures, read at Paris. By G. Douglas, M.D. FIRST EDITION. *8vo, original calf, 1736* £60

390 GLAUBER (Johann Rudolph) Furni Novi Philosophici, sive Descriptio Artis Destillatoriae Novae; Nec non Spirituum, Oleorum, Florum, aliorumque Medicamentorum . . . FIRST EDITION. *8vo, old calf, with folding plates and woodcuts. J. Jansson, Amsterdam, 1651* £40

Glauber's first published work, and one of the most remarkable books on chemistry of the 17th century. Six parts in 1 vol. with all the blanks.

391 GLAUBER (J. R.) Arca Thesavris Opvlentia, sive Appendix Generalis Omnium Librorum omnium librorum hactenus editorum, quae non solum cuncta tam in Philosophicis illustrat, & intellectu difficilia explicat . . . FIRST EDITION. *Sm. 4to, original boards, uncut. Amsterdam, 1660* £48

Duveen p. 255. Not in Ferguson.

392 HIPPOCRATES. Jansson (Theodore) Aphorismi Hippocratis. *12mo, original morocco, Dutch flowered end-papers. Apud Henricum Wetstenium, Amsterdam, 1685* £10 10s

393 HOFFMANN (Moritz) Florae Altdorffinae Deliciae Hortenses sive Catalogus Plantarum Horti Medici qvibus auctor erat. FIRST EDITION. *4to, modern panelled calf, double-page frontispiece of the garden, and folding map of the vicinity. Typis Georgi Hagen, Altdorf, 1660* £65

Hunt 284' "First edition of an interesting little record of what was apparently a private herb garden belonging to the Author". The Hunt copy lacks the map. Rare.

394 HOLWELL (John) Clavis Horologiae; or, A Key to the whole Art of Arithmetical Dyalling, in Two Parts. The First shewing how to draw the Hour-Lines on all manner of Regular Dyals, and how to reduce all Irregular Dyals into Regular Forms by means of a new Latitude and new Declination, and that Arithmetically. The Second Part sheweth how to place all manner of Furniture on all sorts of Dyals, let them be never so irregular, and that Arithmetically; whereunto is annexed the Tables of Altitude of the Sun for every hour of the Day at his Entrance into the 12 signs . . . Whereunto is Annexed an Appendix, Being the Explication of the Pyramidical Dyal set up in His Majesties Garden at White-Hall, 1669. In which many sorts of Dyals are contained; By which, besides the Hours of all Kinds diversly expressed, many things relating to Geography, Astrology and Astronomy, are by the Suns shadow made visible to the Eye, by that Reverend Father Francis Hall, alias Line, of the Society of Jesus, Professor of the Mathematicks at Liege in Germany. FIRST EDITION. *4to, 38 engraved plates, including 74 illustrations of dials, some early ink annotations, green calf gilt by Waters of Newcastle. Appendix dated 1685. Printed by Will. Bonny, for Tho. Howkins, 1686* £200

Wing H.2517. One copy only, the Patent Office, London.

"Holwell was a noted astrologer, diallist and surveyor, who professed and taught the arts and sciences mathematicall. He assisted John Ogilby in the surveys for his English Road Book, and was called as an expert witness, together with William Leybourne and William Marr in the lawsuit known as the Lady Ivie's Case. He refers to Edmund Halley as 'my very good and my very loving friend', a reminder that Halley was found of the society of practical men, and he also praises himself in these terms 'He also measureth buildings and surveyeth land for any man, having the most experience of any man in England.' Taylor, The Mathematical Practitioners of Tudor and Stuart England, p. 235.

395 KIRCHER (Athanasius) Physiologia Kircheriana Experimentalis, qua Summa Argumentorum Multitudine & Varietate Naturalium rerum scientia per experimenta Physica, Mathematica, Medica, Chymia, Musica, Magnetica, Mechanica comprobatur atque stabilitur. *Folio, modern half vellum boards, engraved and printed titles. Amsterdam, 1680* £75

396 LAUREMBERG (Petrus) Horticultura, Libris II. comprehensa . . . *4to, original mottled calf, gilt, full-page engravings of plants, trees, implements, &c. Frankfort, 1654* £50

397 LEMERY (N.) New Curiosities in Art and Nature: Or, a Collection of the most Valuable Secrets in All Arts and Sciences: As it appears by the Contents. Illustrated with Cuts. To which is added a Supplement by the Translator. *8vo, original calf, rebacked, frontsipiece and eight plates. Printed for John King and Sold by J. Morphew, 1711* £40

398 LESSIUS (Leonard) The Temperate Man, or the Right Way of Preserving Health, Together with Soundness of the Senses, Judgment, and Memory unto extream Old Age. In Three Treatises. The First written by the Learned Leonardus Lessius. The Second by Lodowick Cornaro, a Noble Gentleman of Venice. The Third by a Famous Italian. Faithfully Englished FIRST EDITION.

Printed by J.R. for John Starkey, 1678; bound with SANCTORIUS (Santorius) Medicina Statica: Or, Rules of Health, in Eight Sections of Aphorisms. English'd by J.D. FIRST EDITION. *Sm. 8vo, frontispiece, original calf gilt. Printed for John Starkey, 1676* £95

Wing L.1181; S.571.

399 LEYBOURN (William) Arithmetical Recreations: Or, Enchiridion of Arithmetical Questions: Both Deligthful and Profitable. All of them performed without Algebra. With several Arithmetical Problems, and their Answers. Also, Divers subtile Contracts or Agreements. A Discourse concerning the harmony of Numbers, and variety of Compendiums in the several Rules of Arithmetick. The Second Edition, Corrected, and very much enlarged by the Author. *12mo, modern calf, some headlines shaved. Printed for Hen. Brome, 1676* £85

Wing L.1898. No copy of any edition in U.S.A.

400 LHUYD (Edward) Lithophylacii Britannici Ichnographia. Sive Lapidum aliorumque Fossilium Britannicorum singulari figura insignium . . . FIRST EDITION. *8vo, edition limited to 120 copies, 23 engraved plates, 1 folding, imprimatur leaf before the title-page, these two pages ruled in red, woodcut illustration in the text, some marginal notes by Maurice Johnson and a "tabula analytica" after Martin Lister transcribed on an end-paper, with Johnson's bookplate, contemporary panelled calf gilt, head of spine a little worn, hinges cracked. Ex Officina M.C., 1699* £375

Wing L.1946.

Gunther, R. T. Life and Letters of Edward Lhuyd, 1945 (*Vol. XIV of* Early Science at Oxford, 1945).

"In a letter from Caldy Island in February 1698, Lhuyd petitioned the University to publish the Catalogue . . . His appeal was not successful. The MS. was then offered to some of the London publishers—it was refused".

Then Sir Hans Sloane stepped in. Writing, July 4, 1698, to Dr. Charlett, Master of University College, Oxford he

says: "Mr. Pepys and I drank yr heath this day after & before a great deale of serious discourse on the project about getting mastery of those who would (and will if not speedily prevented) ruine most good books that are proposed to be printed. There is no question to be made that the thing is easy to be done. We have in ¼ of an hour ordered Mr. Floid's book of form'd stones to be printed here wt many cuts. That is to say on the first proposall ten of us subscribed to take of each ten copies at the first cost, provided only 120 were printed 20 of which are designed for the author. So we shall make our books worth double the value & be obliged to or putt on by no body. We shall also have a thing we like & not lett a thing of that kind be lost . . .

"The distribution of the copies is worthy of remark; ten were sent to Paris, Sloane presented his to scholars in Italy and Germany; five of Lister's went to the continent; Newton distributed his in Cambridge; Lhuyd gave his to subscribers—generally 'to such as are scholars.' "

"The first book on English Fossils appeared in February 1698 (O.S.). It laid the foundation for a new science. It was an epoch-making book that Lhuyd could only have completed with the aid of the Old Ashmolean Museum, and it provided the few with a first systematized treatise on British Fossils. Owing to the edition being limited to 120 copies, its worth was not widley realized before Huddesford produced a second edition in 1760"—Gunther: Life and Letters, *p. 263.*

Canon Raven in his fine John Ray Naturalist His Life and Works *has a good deal to say about the work but it is all drawn from Gunther's* Life and Works *quoted above.*

"In the closing years of the seventeenth century a new hypothesis was proposed as a kind of compromise between the view which regarded all 'figured stones' as miraculous sports of Nature and the view that they contained the actual remains of living organisms. The hypothesis in question was suggested by Edward Lhuyd (1660-1709), keeper of the Ashmolean, Oxford.

It was formulated in a letter appended to his Lithophylacium Britannicum, or a treatise on British figured stones, published in 1698 (sic)"—Wolf: History of Science Technology and Philosophy, XVI & XVII p. 367

There is, not surprisingly since Isaac Newton was one of the sponsors, a copy of the book in the Musgrave Catalogue of Newton's books, see Villamil: Newton the Man, *p. 84.*

401 MARTINDALE (Adam) The Country-Survey-Book; or, Land-Meters Vade-Mecum. Wherein the Principles and Practical Rules for Surveying the Land, are so plainly (though briefly) delivered, that any one of ordinary parts (understanding how to add, subtract, multiply and divide), may by the help of this small Treatise alone, and a few cheap Instruments easy to be procured, Measure a parcel of Land, and with judgment and expedition Plot it, and give up the Content thereof. With an Appendix, containing Twelve Problems touching Compound interest and Annuities; and a Method to Contract the work of Fellowship and Alligation Alternate, very considerable in many Cases. Illustrated with Copper Plates. By Adam Martindale, a Friend to Mathematical Learning. *Sm. 8vo, old calf, with 3 plates. Printed for R. Clavel and T. T. Sawbridge, 1692* £60

Wing. This edition not recorded. No. 172 at R.I.C. Surveyor's Exhibition 'Five Centuries of Maps and Map Making', 1953.

402 MEBER (J. C.) Anchora Savciatorvm, Hoc est Liqvor Stypticvs, Sanguinem confestim, & miraculose sistens. *Sm. 4to, original vellum. Apud Ioh. Adam, Kaestnerum, Breslau, 1687* £25

Describes a styptic preparation of which the prescription is R. Vitrioli Ungar, Alumin. an. lib. sem, Phlegmat. Vitriol. lib. jv., Olei Vitrioli unc. j.

403 MEIBOMIUS (J. H.) Hippocratis Magni Orkoc, sive Jusjurandvm. Recensitum, & libro commentario illustratum. *4to, old half calf. Leiden, 1643* £20

404 MERCURIO (Scipion) La Commare O Raccoglitrice dell Scipion Mercvrio, Filosofo, Medico, e Cittadin Romano. Divisa in tre libri. In questa ultima editione corretta & accresciuta de due trattati; vno del Colostro, doue si tratta di diuersi mali de i bambini con loro cause e rimedj singolari, dell' Eccellentiss. Sig. Ezechiele di Castro Medico Fisico d'Auignone. L'altro di vn grauissimo Autore, nel quale si risoluono alcuni dubj importanti circa il Battesimo de è bambini . . . *4to, old mottled calf gilt, rebacked, with 30 woodcuts of the Foetus and delivery, some full-page. Per Francesco de Rossi, Verona, 1642* £50

One of the most celebrated medical books of the whole Renaissance, published in an incredible number of editions well into the 18th century. Mercurio was a pupil of Aranzio and appears to have practised obstetrics in France; he was one of the first to maintain that contracted pelvis is an indication for Caesarean section. Castiglioni, A History of Medicine.

405 MERCURIALIS (Hieronymus) De Morbis Pverorvm Tractatvs Locvpletissimi Variaq; doctrina referti, non solum Medicis, verum-etiam Philosophis magnoper vtiles . . . *Opera Iohannis Chrosczieyoioskij; bound with* MERCURIALIS (H.) De Venenis, et Morbis Venenosis . . . *4to, old vellum. Apud Paulum Meierum Bibliopolam Patauinum, Venice, 1588* £90

Two works in one. The first work is one of the most important 16th century treatises on the diseases of children It was taken down as the title informs us, from the lectures of Mercurialis by Johannes Chroscieyoioski. His portrait appears in Still's 'History of Paediatrics'. *Still says, 'He must have been a man of considerable learning and indefatigable industry, and if he left no important contribution to the science of medicine behind him, he was at least one of those who handed on the torch'. His book is the first work on diseases of children to mention touching for the King's Evil. He has no less than ten chapters*

devoted to Worms. Still says that to any one who wishes to obtain a general view of the teaching of the ancient Roman, Greek, and Arabian physicians with regard to the diseases of children, this treatise may be recommended as embodying them all. It goes little beyond them, but that little is real progress, it is the beginning of sifting the wheat from the chaff.

406 MIZALDUS (A.) Cosmographiae, Sev Mvndi Sphaerae, Libri Tres, noua methodo & dilucida conscripti . . . *Sm. 8vo, 18th century marbled boards, vellum spine. Paris, 1567* £30

This poetical description of the world contains a reference to America on p. 10. Thorndike, History of Magic & Experimental Science, Vol. 5, p. 301, discusses Mizauld's contributions to astronomy and astrology.

407 MORGAN (T.) The Mechanical Practice of Physick: in which The Specific Method is Examin'd and Exploded; and the Bellinian Hypothesis of Animal Secretion and Muscular Motion, Consider'd and Refuted. With some Occasional Remarks and Scholia on Dr. Lobb's Treatise of the Small Pox, Dr. Robinson on the Animal Oeconomy, and Professor Boerhaave's Account of the Animal Spirits and Muscular Motion. First Edition. *8vo, original panelled calf. Printed for T. Woodward, 1735* £30

408 NONNUS (Ludovicus) Diateticon sive de re cibaria. *4to, old vellum, engraved title. Petrus Bellerus, Antwerp, 1645* £30

Vicaire 626. Bitting 344, where the title-page is reproduced.

The treatise is divided into four books, dealing with fruits, vegetables, animals, fish, fowl and game, with the last section devoted to beverages.

409 PADOVANI (Giovanni) Viridarium Mathematicorum: in quo omnia ferè, quae in rebus Astronomicis desiderari

possunt, facillimè pertractantur . . . FIRST EDITION. *4to, old vellum boards, five folding tables, illustartions in text. Apud Bolognimum Zalteeium, Venice, 1563* [SOLD]

Riccardi 1.232. Bella e rara ediz. According to Riccardi two copies known one with 3 leaves of tables here present. "The Garden of Mathematics" contains six tractates on Time, Computus, the Sphere, Arithmetic, all sorts and uses of the sphere and instruments. Thorndike, Vol. V, 154, Vol. VI, 124. It is important for the description of astronomical instruments invented by the author.

410 PARTRIDGE (Seth) The Description and Use of an Instrument, Called the Double Scale of Proportion. By which Instrument, all Questions in Arithmetick, Geometry, Trigonometry, Astronomy, Geography, Navigation, Fortification, Gunnery, Gaging Vessels, Dialling, May be most accurately and speedily performed, without the Assistance of either Pen or Compasses. *8vo, modern calf, folding plate. Printed for Richard Mount, at the Postern on Tower-Hill, 1692* £70

Wing P.633.

411 PISANELLI (Baldassare) Trattato de' Cibi, et del Bere. *12mo, old vellum. Turin, 1612* £15

An uncommon edition of this very popular work. Not in Vicaire under this date.

412 PISANELLI (Baldassare) Trattato Della Natvra de' Cibi et del Bere. *Sm. 8vo, old fancy boards. Venice, 1629* £10 10s

Not in Vicaire under this date.

413 PISANELLI (Baldassar) Trattato de' Cibi, et del Bere. *4to, old vellum. Per Pietro Giouanni Calenzani, Genoa, 1659* £12 10s

414 PISANELLI (Balthasar) De Alimentorum Facultatibus Libellus Aureus. *12mo, old vellum. Typis F. Foppens, Brussels, 1662* £10 10s

Vicaire 684. Willems 1998.

415 [PITT (Robert)] The Craft and Frauds of Physick Expos'd. The very low Prices of the best Medicines Discovered. The Costly Medicines, now in greatest Esteem, such as Bezoar, Pearl, &c. As also the Distill'd Waters, Censur'd. And the too frequent Use of Physick prov'd Destructive to Health. With Instructions to Prevent being Cheated and Destroy'd by the prevailing Practice. The Second Edition, improv'd. And Augmented with an Alphabetical Index of all the Simples and Compounds now in use, referring to the Page where their Virtues and Prices are set down. *8vo, original calf, Printed for Tim. Childe, 1703* £35

Rare. All three of this very interesting writer's works were devoted to the task of raising the standard of his profession and taking the dispensing of medicines out of the very often unreliable hands of the Apothecaries.

416 PLAT (Sir Hugh) The Jevvel House of Art and Nature: Containing Divers Rare and Profitable Inventions, together with sundry new Experiments in the Art of Husbandry. With Divers Chimical Conclusions concerning the Art of Distillation, and the rare practises and uses thereof. Faithfully and familiarly set down, according to the Authours own experience. Whereunto is added, A rare and excellent Discourse of Minerals, Stones, Gums, and Rosins; with the vertues and use thereof. By D. B. Gent. *4to, modern calf, woodcut illustrations in the text throughout, A2-3 stained and a small tear in K4. Printed by Bernard Alsop, and are to be sold at his house in Grubstreet, near the Upper Pump, 1653* £58

Wing P.2390. Juel-Jensen 4.

417 PTOLEMAEUS (Claudius) Liber diversaru rerum: Quem scripsit ad Heristhonem filium suu: tractans compendiose de diversus rebus: ut habetur in tabula que est in principio istius libri. *4to, calf, gilt arms on sides, woodcut initial and diagram in text. Peter Leichtenstein, Venice, 1509* £75

This is listed as "suppositious" in the "S.T.C. of Books Printed in Italy from 1465 to 1600 now in B.M." Not in Adams.
Black letter in two columns. An early edition of Ptolemy with the interests of early science and early printing combined.

418 RIVERIUS (Lazarus) Four Books of that Learned and, Renowned Doctor Lazarus Riverius. Containing Five Hundred and thirteen Observations, or Histories, of Famous and Rare Cures; most of which were his own. The other were communicated to him by twenty four several Famous Physitians and Chyrurgions, whose names are printed to each of them. Unto which is added, A Fift Book, Being Select Medicinal Counsels of John Fernelius, Chief Physitian to the King. All Englished by Nicholas Culpeper, Physitian and Astrologer. These Histories and Observations are often mentioned, and referred unto . . . On the Diseases of the Head; Eyes; Eares; Nostrils; Tongue; Teeth, Gums, &c.; Breast; Heart; Stomach; Intestines, or Guts; Liver; Spleen; Womens Diseases . . . FIRST EDITION. *folio, old half calf. Printed by Peter Cole, 1658* £65
Wing R.1555.

419 SAUL (Edward) An Historical and Philosophical Account of the Barometer, or Weather-Glass. Wherein the Reason and Use of that Instrument the Theory of the Atmosphere, the Causes of its different Gravitation are assign'd and explain'd. And a modest Attempt from thence made towards a rational Account and probable Judgment of the Weather. FIRST EDITION. *8vo, modern half calf. Printed for A. Bettesworth and C. Hitch, 1730* £20

420 SCHURIG (Martin) Embryologia historico-medica hoc est infantis humani consideratio phys. med.-forensis, qua ejusdem in utero nutritio formatis, sanguinis circulatio . . . deinde ipsius ex utero egressus praematurus . . . varia symptomata . . . partus caesareus et supposititius

c. puerperarum tortura, etc. *4to, old calf, spine rubbed. Dresden, Ch. Hekel, 1732* £30

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421 SCHURIG (Martin) Chylologia Historico-Medica h. e. Chyli Humani, sive Succi Hominis Nutritii Consideratio . . . qua appetitus nimii et voracitatis rerum haud esculentarum concupiscentiae, nauseae et inediae diuturnae, cultrivorum, vitrivorum, venenivorum, et pyrophagorum exempla recensentur, Farrago rerum p. n. in ventriculo latitantium aut vomitu rejectarum suppedia-

tur, *homerdae* resolutio chymica, cum usu medico et magico ostenditur. *4to, old vellum. Dresden, J. Ch. Zimmerman & J. N. Gerlack, 1725* £30

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